

Annex SFB

Studienfachbeschreibung (subject description, SFB) for the subject Didactics in Geography (Middle School) as Didaktikfach with the degree "Erste Staatsprüfung für das Lehramt an Mittelschulen"

Responsible: Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical Studies
Responsible: Institute of Geography and Geology

Examination regulations version: 2013
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Abbreviations used: Course types: **E** = field trip, **K** = colloquium, **O** = conversatorium, **P** = placement/lab course, **R** = project, **S** = seminar, **T** = tutorial, **Ü** = exercise, **V** = lecture

Term: **SS** = summer semester, **WS** = winter semester

Methods of grading: **NUM** = numerical grade, **B/NB** = (not) successfully completed

Regulations: **(L)ASPO** = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), **FSB** = subject-specific provisions, **SFB** = list of modules

Other: **A** = thesis, **LV** = course(s), **PL** = assessment(s), **TN** = participants, **VL** = prerequisite(s)

Conventions for the modules in this SFB: Unless otherwise stated, courses and assessments will be held in German, assessments will be offered every semester and modules are not creditable for bonus.

Information on assessment procedures: Should there be the option to choose between several methods of assessment, the lecturer will agree with the module coordinator on the method of assessment to be used in the current semester by two weeks after the start of the course at the latest and will communicate this in the customary manner.

Should a module comprise more than one graded assessment, all assessments will be equally weighted, unless otherwise stated below.

Should the assessment comprise several individual assessments, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

In accordance with the general regulations governing the degree subject described in this module catalogue:

LASPO2009

associated official publications (FSB (subject-specific provisions)/SFB (list of modules)):

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This module handbook seeks to render, as accurately as possible, the data that is of statutory relevance according to the examination regulations of the degree subject. However, only the FSB (subject-specific provisions) and SFB (list of modules) in their officially published versions shall be legally binding. In the case of doubt, the provisions on, in particular, module assessments specified in the FSB/SFB shall prevail.

Every module will be described using the following form:

Abbreviation	Module title						
	ECTS		Duration	(in semesters)	Method of grading		Module level
	Courses		To be specified in the form X (y) with course type X abbreviated as specified above and number of weekly contact hours y				
	Method of assessment						
	Only after successful completion of		if applicable				
	Other prerequisites		if applicable				
	Participants and allocation of places		if applicable				
	Additional information		if applicable				
	Referred to in LPO I		if applicable (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)				

Compulsory Courses (20 ECTS credits)

Successful completion of modules worth 20 ECTS credits in each subject selected as Didaktikfach (subject studied with a focus on teaching methodology) is a prerequisite for admission to the Erste Staatsprüfung (First State Examination) in the subject Didaktiken einer Fächergruppe der Mittelschule (Didactics of a Group of Subjects of Mittelschule).

09-GeoDGH-BM- Did-092-mo1	Level One Module Didactics of Geography (Didactics Primary and Secondary Modern School) - Physical Geography, Human Geography							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	S + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 3, approx. 30 minutes)						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 36 (1) 7. Didaktik der Grundschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Hauptschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Mittelschule Geographie							
09-GeoDH-AM- Did-092-mo1	Level Two Module Didactics of Geography (Didactics Primary School): Teaching Geography and museum education (Bavaria and Germany)							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	P + S + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or b) documentation (approx. 8 pages) or c) oral presentation (approx. 10 minutes)						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Hauptschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Mittelschule Geographie							
09-Geo- Did-GrExk-092- mo1	Long Excursion in Didactics of Geography							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	E (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)						
	Method of assessment	assessment in groups of 3 candidates: documentation portfolio (each with subject-matter specific analysis (approx. 3 pages), log (approx. 1 page), 5 to 10 documentary photographs each with description and explanatory statement) Language of assessment: German, English						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 36 (1) 7. Didaktik der Grundschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Hauptschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Mittelschule Geographie							
09-GeoDGH-PM- Did-092-mo1	Level Three Module Didactics of Geography (Didactics Primary and Secondary Modern School)							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V + T + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 10 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 3, approx. 30 minutes) or d) examination in groups: presentation (approx. 40 minutes) with written elaboration (approx. 12 pages)						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 36 (1) 7. Didaktik der Grundschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Hauptschule Geographie § 38 (1) 1. Didaktik der Mittelschule Geographie							

Freier Bereich (general as well as subject-specific electives)

Teaching degree students must take modules worth a total of 15 ECTS credits in the area Freier Bereich (general as well as subject-specific electives) (Section 9 LASPO (general academic and examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)). To achieve the required number of ECTS credits, students may take any modules from the areas below.

Freier Bereich (general as well as subject-specific electives) -- open for all teaching degree students irrespective of their subject combinations: For additional courses that are open to all teaching degree students irrespective of their subject combinations (fächerübergreifendes Zusatzangebot), please refer to the respective Annex of the "Ergänzende Bestimmungen für den "Freien Bereich" im Rahmen des Studiums für ein Lehramt" (Supplementary Provisions on the Area "Freier Bereich" in Teaching-Degree Programmes).

Freier Bereich (general as well as subject-specific electives) -- Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical Studies: For additional courses offered by the Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical Studies for teaching degree students (fakultätsweites Zusatzangebot), please refer to the Annex of the "Ergänzende Bestimmungen der Philosophischen Fakultät (Fakultät für Historische, Philologische, Kultur- und Geographische Wissenschaften) für den "Freien Bereich" im Rahmen des Studiums für ein Lehramt" (Supplementary Provisions by the Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical Studies on the Area "Freier Bereich" in Teaching-Degree Programmes).

Thesis (10 ECTS credits)

Preparation of a written Hausarbeit (thesis) in accordance with the provisions of Section 29 LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes) is a prerequisite for teaching degree students to be admitted to the Erste Staatsprüfung (First State Examination). In accordance with the provisions of Section 29 LPO I, students studying for a teaching degree Mittelschule may write this thesis in the subject Didaktik einer Fächergruppe der Mittelschule (Didactics of a Group of Subjects of Mittelschule), in the subject they selected as Unterrichtsfach (subject studied with a focus on the scientific discipline) or in the subject Erziehungswissenschaften (Educational Science). Pursuant to Section 29 Subsection 1 Sentence 2 LPO I, students may also choose to write an interdisciplinary thesis.

09-GeoHS-DF-HA-092-mo1	Thesis Geography HS							
	ECTS	10	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	no courses assigned						
	Method of assessment	written thesis (approx. 40 pages) Language of assessment: German, exceptions in accordance with Section 29 Subsection 4 LPO I (examination regulations for teaching degree programmes)						
	Additional Information	Additional information on module duration: 1 to 2 semesters.						